Vanity & Personalized License Plates

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Secretary of State

As Secretary of State, I am proud to offer you the opportunity to express yourself through vanity or personalized license plates. These plates allow you to be creative, say something special or help support an important cause.

The sale of these plates helps support highway maintenance as well as preserve our state parks, raise money for violence prevention and promote organ/tissue donor awareness.

I encourage you to join the thousands of Illinois drivers who have expressed their individuality by purchasing vanity and personalized license plates.

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Application

You may request vanity or personalized plates by mail at any time. Issuance is based on availability. If the requested vanity or personalized plates are available, you will receive an application that must be completed and returned along with the appropriate fee within 45 days. You will receive your new plates in a minimum of six weeks.

Do not send money with the attached form unless you are applying for a title and first-time registration.

In accordance with state law, America Remembers, Education, Environmental, Firefighters Memorial, Illinois Route 66, Mammogram, Master Mason, Organ Donor, Park District Youth Progam, Pet Friendly, Police Memorial and Prevent Violence plates require special fees in addition to the vanity or personalized fee. Availability of plate combinations cannot be given over the phone.

Mandatory Insurance

All motor vehicles registered and operated in Illinois must be covered by liability insurance, which covers property damage and/or injuries you may cause others in an accident.

Vanity License Plates

Vanity plates contain up to 3 numbers only or 1 to 7 letters only.

Passenger, B-truck, Antique Vehicle, Recreational Trailer (RT), Recreational Vehicle (RV)
Numbers 1 thru 999 **or** 1,2,3,4,5,6 or 7 letters

America Remembers, Environmental, Motorcycle, Persons with Disabilities, Prevent Violence
Numbers 1 thru 999 **or** 1,2,3,4,5 or 6 letters

Antique Motorcycle, Education, Firefighters Memorial, Mammogram, Park District Youth Program, Pet Friendly, Police Memorial, Organ Donor
Numbers 1 thru 999 **or** 1,2,3,4 or 5 letters

Illinois Route 66, Master Mason
Numbers 1 thru 999 **or** 1,2,3 or 4 letters

Fees

Passenger, B-truck, America Remembers, Antique Vehicle, Education, Environmental, Firefighters Memorial, Illinois Route 66, Mammogram, Master Mason, Organ Donor, Park District Youth Program, Persons with Disabilities, Pet Friendly, Police Memorial, Prevent Violence, RV (up to 8,000 lbs.)

- **newly-acquired vehicle, first-time issuance**
  $65 title fee, applicable registration fee, $94 vanity fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable)
- **currently registered vehicle, first-time issuance**
  applicable registration fee, $94 vanity fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable)
- **current plates expire within 90 days**
  applicable registration fee, $94 vanity fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable), $29 replacement fee
- **current plates do not expire within 90 days**
  $94 vanity fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable), $29 replacement fee
- **annual renewal**
  applicable registration fee, $13 vanity fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable)

Motorcycle, RT, Antique Motorcycle

- **newly-acquired vehicle, first-time issuance**
  $65 title fee, applicable registration fee, $50 vanity fee
- **currently registered vehicle, first-time issuance**
  applicable registration fee, $50 vanity fee
- **current plates expire within 90 days**
  applicable registration fee, $50 vanity fee, $26 replacement fee
- **current plates do not expire within 90 days**
  $50 vanity fee, $26 replacement fee
- **annual renewal**
  applicable registration fee, $13 vanity fee

Personalized License Plates

Personalized plates contain both letters and numbers.

Passenger
1, 2, 3, 4 or 5 letters plus 1 thru 99 **or** 6 letters plus 1 thru 9

Antique Vehicle, B-truck, RT, RV
1 thru 999 plus 1, 2 or 3 letters **or** 1 thru 99 plus 4 letters **or** 1 thru 9 plus 5 letters

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Motorcycle, Persons with Disabilities, Prevent Violence
1, 2, 3 or 4 letters plus 1 thru 99 **or** 5 letters plus 1 thru 9

America Remembers, Environmental, Organ Donor
1, 2 or 3 letters plus 1 thru 99 **or** 4 letters plus 1 thru 9

Antique Motorcycle
1 thru 99 plus 3 letters **or** 1 thru 9 plus 4 letters

Education, Firefighters Memorial, Illinois Route 66, Mammogram, Master Mason, Park District Youth Program, Pet Friendly, Police Memorial
1 or 2 letters plus 1 thru 99 **or** 3 letters plus 1 thru 9

Fees

Passenger, B-truck, America Remembers, Antique Vehicle, Education, Environmental, Firefighters Memorial, Illinois Route 66, Mammogram, Master Mason, Organ Donor, Park District Youth Program, Persons with Disabilities, Pet Friendly, Police Memorial, Prevent Violence, RV (up to 8,000 lbs.)

✓ **newly-acquired vehicle, first-time issuance**
$65 title fee, applicable registration fee, $47 personalized fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable)

✓ **currently registered vehicle, first-time issuance**
applicable registratian fee, $47 personalized fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable)

✓ **current plates expire within 90 days**
applicable registration fee, $47 personalized fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable), $29 replacement fee

✓ **current plates do not expire within 90 days**
$47 personalized fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable), $29 replacement fee

✓ **annual renewal**
applicable registratian fee, $7 personalized fee, specialty plate fee (if applicable)

Motorcycle, RT, Antique Motorcycle

✓ **newly-acquired vehicle, first-time issuance**
$65 title fee, applicable registration fee, $25 personalized fee

✓ **currently registered vehicle, first-time issuance**
applicable registratian fee, $25 personalized fee

✓ **current plates expire within 90 days**
applicable registratian fee, $25 personalized fee, $26 replacement fee

✓ **current plates do not expire within 90 days**
$25 personalized fee, $26 replacement fee

✓ **annual renewal**
applicable registratian fee, $7 personalized fee

Vehicle Owner's Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Daytime Telephone Number (8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.) _____

Current License Plate # _____ Expiration Date _____

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							1st choice								2nd choice								3rd choice

If your exact 1st, 2nd and 3rd choices are not available, would you like the next plate number available in that series? ❑ Yes ❑ No

Type of plate: ❑ Passenger ❑ B-Truck ❑ America Remembers ❑ Antique Motorcycle ❑ Antique Vehicle ❑ Education ❑ Environmental

❑ Firefighters Memorial ❑ Illinois Route 66 ❑ Mammogram ❑ Master Mason ❑ Motorcycle ❑ Organ Donor ❑ Park District Youth Program

❑ Persons with Disabilities ❑ Pet Friendly ❑ Police Memorial ❑ Prevent Violence ❑ RT ❑ RV

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Cut on dotted line and mail form to:
Secretary of State • Vehicle Services Department
501 S. Second St., Rm. 524 • Springfield, IL 62756

Important Facts

- ❑ No refund or adjustment will be made for a change of choice or spacing after plates have been ordered, or if the request form is incorrectly completed.
- ❑ The Secretary of State's office is authorized to recall plates that are determined to be obscene or offensive.
- ❑ All request forms should indicate whether or not you want the Secretary of State to assign one of your choices with the next available number if your exact request is unavailable.
- ❑ If you wish to submit more than three requests, attach additional selections to the request form.
- ❑ Numbers are required to precede letters on personalized B-truck, RV, RT, Antique Vehicle and Antique Motorcycle plates.
- ❑ If you want a space between letters, please indicate with a slash mark. An automatic space is required between letters and numbers. Spacing varies with the type of plates requested. Proper completion of the form is the customer's responsibility.

DO NOT

- ❑ Intermix letters and numbers
- ❑ Use a space between numbers
- ❑ Use lower-case letters
- ❑ Use characters, symbols, foreign words or symbols of punctuation, such as dashes or periods
- ❑ Select obscene or offensive combinations

First-Time Registrations

- ❑ Money must accompany request forms on all first-time registrations.
- ❑ If your request is not available, random-number plates will be issued. Additional fees are required to replace your random-number plates with vanity or personalized plates.
- ❑ The dealership where you purchase your vehicle may apply for vanity or personalized plates on your behalf for a first-time registration.
- ❑ A leased vehicle is eligible for vanity or personalized plates.

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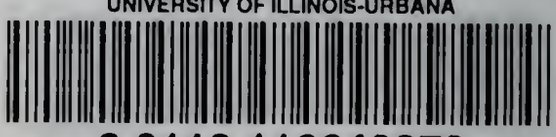

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